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- 4. (Amended) A package according to claim 1, characterized in that said first face (20) or second face (38) exhibits an annular projection adapted to generate a further, local compression of the sealing member (23) when the engagement faces (29, 42) engage each other.
- 5. (Amended) A package according to claim 4, characterized in that said first face (20) arranged in the reception channel (15) defines an annular groove, that the sealing member (23) is secured in the groove by adhesion or in another manner, and that said second face (38) exhibits the annular projection (39) adapted to generate said additional, local compression of the sealing member (23).
- 6. (Amended) A package according to claim 5, characterized in that, radially outwards from the axis (CL) and in extension of said annular projection (39), the engagement portion (40) exhibits an end edge (37) arranged opposite the second side wall (25) of the reception channel (15), and that the end edge (37) and said second side wall (25) between them define a ring-shaped space (5) whose radial extent decreases in a direction away from the sealing member (23).
- 7. (Amended) A package according to claim 6, characterized in that the sealing member (23) is secured to said first face (20) by adhesion.
- 9. (Amended) A lid according to elaim 8, characterized in that the free end of said second side wall (25) comprises an inclined end face

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(28) which extends approximately in parallel with said engagement face (19) on the lid (10).

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10. (Amended) A mould for the manufacture of a lid according to claim 9, said lid (10) being manufactured using a female mould part (100), a male mould part (110) and an ejector ring (120), which together define a mould cavity for the lid (10), said ejector ring (120) being adapted to be moved in a direction of said axis (CL) to release a lid just moulded from the male mould part (110), characterized in that the ejector ring (120) defines a moulding face for said inclined end face (28) on the lid (10).

## **REMARKS**

By this Preliminary Amendment the dependencies of claims 2-7, 9 and 10 have been revised. Entry is requested.

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